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SUBJECT: VISIT OF PRESIDENT ELECT ANASTASIO SOMOZA TO
REPUBLIC OF CHINA

1. NICARAGUAN PRESIDENT ELECT, GENERAL ANASTASIO SOMOZA, HAS ADVISED THAT HE WILL BE TRANSITING THE UNITED STATES ON AN OFFICIAL VISIT WHICH HE IS MAKING TO THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA (TAIWAN) BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 11, AND RETURNING SEPTEMBER 22.

2. PRESIDENT ELECT SOMOZA WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE FOLLOWING: HIS WIFE, MRS. SOMOZA; ARGUELLO MONTIEL, MINISTER OF FOREIGN RELATIONS; NOEL PALLAIS, PRESIDENT OF INFONAC; MR. AND MRS. DENNIS GALLO, MEMBER OF THE CHAMBER OF INDUSTRIES; AND MILITARY AIDES - COLONEL LINARTE, CAPTAIN LOPEZ, SGT. GAITAN, AND SGT. SANCHEZ. GENERAL AND MRS. SOMOZA'S DAUGHTER, CAROLINE, WILL JOIN THEM IN LOS ANGELES FOR THE TRIP TO TAIPEI.

3. THE SCHEDULE FOLLOWS: GENERAL SOMOZA DEPARTS MANAGUA ON LANICA FLIGHT NO. 410, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, AT 11:50 A.M. HE WILL ARRIVE IN MIAMI AT 3:00 P.M. OVERNIGHT IN MIAMI AND DEPART MIAMI FOR LOS ANGELES ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 AT 5:00 P.M. ON CONTINENTAL AIRLINES FLIGHT NO. 53 (WHICH MAKES STOPS IN HOUSTON AND PHOENIX) AND ARRIVES IN LOS ANGELES AT 9:05 P.M. GENERAL SOMOZA
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AND PARTY WILL DEPART LOS ANGELES FOR TAIPEI ON SEPTEMBER 12 ON

CHINA AIRLINES FLIGHT NO. 007 AT 11:50 P.M. (MAKING STOPS IN HONOLULU AND GUAM) AND ARRIVING TAIPEI ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 AT 12 NOON.

3. ON THE RETURN GENERAL SOMOZA AND PARTY WILL LEAVE SEPTEMBER 21 ON CHINA AIRLINES FLIGHT NO. 008, DEPARTING AT 6:10 P.M. (STOPPING IN GUAM AND HONOLULU) AND ARRIVING ON SEPTEMBER 21 IN LOS ANGELES AT 6:10 P.M. DEPARTURE FROM LOS ANGELES ON SEPTEMBER 22 AT 2:30 A.M. VIA CONTINENTAL AIRLINES FLIGHT NO. 54 (STOPPING IN EL PASO, SAN ANTONIO, AND HOUSTON) AND ARRIVING MIAMI AT 1:00 P.M. ON SEPTEMBER 22. PARTY WILL OVERNIGHT ON RETURN IN MIAMI AND DEPART LANICA AIRLINES MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, FLIGHT NO. 411 AT 10:00 A.M. FOR MANAGUA ARRIVING AT 11:10 A.M. POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVE ON RETURN FROM MIAMI IS OVERNIGHTING TWO NIGHTS IN MIAMI AND RETURNING ON LANICA FLIGHT NO. 411 TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24 AT 10:00 A.M. AND ARRIVING IN MANAGUA AT 11:10 A.M.

4. PRESIDENT ELECT SOMOZA HAS REQUESTED THAT SECRET SERVICE SECURITY BE PROVIDED DURING THAT PORTION OF TRIP HE IS IN THE UNITED STATES. WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION.
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